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Stegler, Accused in Passport Scandal, and Wife, After Release on Bail by Federal Officials.



Richard P. Stegler, the German-American, who, with his wife, accuses Captain Boy-Ed, military attaché of the German embassy in Washington, in connection with the passport scandal in which he has been indicted by a federal grand jury in New York, was released on bail the same day Mrs. Stegler had a harrowing experience with two reporters of the New York Staats Zeitung. Just after she got out of court she hurried to her husband and the two were photographed together.

Stegler and his wife say that the German attaché wanted him to go to

have sent the reporters to the workhouse for thirty days, but the evidence was not quite strong enough.

OKLAHOMA MAN MISSED A FORTUNE

Apache, March 9.—An Apache man just missed a fortune by a few hours. V. A. Walkup has been working on a patent automobile tire which he thought would be just the thing, and he found that he thought right but not quick enough. A tire made of coil springs fastened to the wood rim of the wheel on one side and a metal band on the outside completed his invention, and he sent a model of it to Washington with the proper papers upon which to secure a patent.

He found, however, that some man in Canada had hit upon exactly the same plan and had his model in just a short time ahead. It was stated that the Ford company learned of the Canada man's patent and purchased it for the United States, paying \$100,000 for it.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble, Mrs. M. Summers, Box W., South Bend, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.



Jink—How do you happen to be going fishing on Friday? I thought you believed Friday was an unlucky day.

Winks—Well, I always have. But it occurred to me this morning that perhaps it would be unlucky for the fish.

WILSON MAKES PLEA FOR "BIRD DAY"

STATE SUPERINTENDENT TELLS OF IMPORTANCE OF BIRDS TO STATE

Oklahoma City, Okla., March 9.—Perpetuation of Bird Day in Oklahoma and the following out of the most successful innovation instituted last year by the game warden's office and the superintendent of schools' staff, has received a severe setback at the hands of the legislature. The game warden, George Noble, asked the legislature to make him an appropriation sufficient to cover the expense of getting out a "Bird Day Book," similar to the one put out last year, and the senate passed his bill.

The house, however, when the bill was sent them by the senate, made some radical changes in the appropriation and in the provision, and the bill is now waiting the action of the senate. Citizens interested in the bird life of the state, as well as the farmers who depend upon the feathered tribe to destroy insectivorous pests and the school children of the state, are most anxious that Bird Day should be perpetuated and some provision made for the conservation of bird life.

Interview by Wilson.

The following interview with R. H. Wilson, state superintendent of schools, gives an idea of the importance to the state of the measure providing for a Bird Day observance:

"Last year the department of education and the state game and fish department joined in the preparation and publication of a 'Bird Day Book.' This was probably the most attractive pamphlet issued by a state department during the year. The enthusiastic reception given it by the teachers and pupils throughout the state proved its value. There have been so many requests sent in for copies of the book that the edition is completely exhausted.

"This year there is a movement, nation-wide in its scope, to observe April 9 as Bird Day. Plans have been made by the state game warden, George Noble, and the state superintendent of schools, R. H. Wilson, to issue another 'Bird Day Book' this year. Copy for the book has been prepared in the state department of education, but it can not be published until money is available.

Should Be Protected.

"The birds should be protected. Their protection must come largely through the education of the people. Not until mankind thoroughly understands the value of bird life will our feathered friends be protected. It has been said that we must begin in our schools today laying the foundation of characteristics which we wish to appear in our national life tomorrow. This is true in the highest sense. Therefore, it is important that we weave into the minds of our school children the warp and woof of love for bird life, if we would have such life conserved in the future.

"April 9 should be observed by all the schools in the state as Bird Day, and March 12 should be observed as Arbor Day by the pupils of our schools, as well as by the citizens of the state. The next generation is sure to feel the need of an adequate supply of birds and timber unless some means are taken by the present generation to conserve and renew that which we now enjoy."

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MEXICAN SOLUTION FAVORED

TEXAN'S PLAN IS LOOKED ON FAVORABLY BY DIPLOMATS

Washington, D. C., March 9.—Representative James L. Slayden of San Antonio was the first to conceive the idea of settling Mexico's troubles through action of the Pan-American countries, and he voiced the sentiment some time ago in discussing the A. B. C. mediation and some of its possible results.

During the last few days it has developed that Mr. Slayden's idea had not only been discussed by a number of Pan-American diplomats stationed here, but they had approved it. Recently the Texan held a number of conferences with ambassadors interested in the solution of the Mexican civil strife.

"I am opposed to asking assistance of any European or Asiatic country for the settlement of questions in Mexico," said Mr. Slayden. "American public opinion would never stand for European intervention in Mexican affairs. In talking with Latin-American ambassadors and ministers accredited to Washington I have been encouraged to believe that if such a project as I have proposed were presented to them by the state department they would welcome the opportunity of taking it up with their governments.

"The rapid development of chaos in Mexico is also developing approval of the idea which I have been hammering at for some years. I am profoundly impressed with the necessity of establishing peace in Mexico for if it is done we will be involved in great expenses and possibly armed conflict. Would Restore Harmony.

"I am convinced that the execution of such a plan would be the means of re-establishing peace on a permanent basis and erection of a real entente between all the governments of this continent."

In general, Mr. Slayden believes that an expedition similar to that which went to China during the Boxer troubles should be organized on the part of Latin-American countries to bring about the purposes outlined. During his nineteen years in congress Mr. Slayden has been one of the leading peace advocates in the house of representatives.

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ADMITS SEVEN GERMAN SHIPS SUNK

London, March 9.—A dispatch to the Exchange telegraph company from Amsterdam says:

"A correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt declares that since the beginning of the blockade seven British merchantmen have been sunk, but admits that, according to news received in Berlin from neutral countries, more than seven German submarines have been sunk during the same period."

The German admiralty, the Exchange Telegraph correspondent says, publishes no information concerning the loss of submarines.

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AT GUTHRIE, IN THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA,
At the Close of Business March 4, 1915.

RESOURCES.		
1. Loans and discounts	.....	\$ 592,018.73
2. Overdrafts, secured, 1.00; unsecured, 1.00	.....	None
3. U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	.....	\$115,000.00
4. Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation (book value)	.....	45,000.00
5. Other securities deposited to secure circulation (book value)	.....	None
6. U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	.....	25,000.00
7. U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	.....	25,000.00
8. Other bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	.....	None
9. U. S. bonds owned unpledged (par value) - per cent.	.....	None
10. Premium on bonds used for circulation	.....	None
11. Premiums on other U. S. bonds	.....	None
12. Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (U. S. postal savings excluded)	.....	\$ 3,662.75
13. Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same	.....	53,185.25
14. Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	.....	\$7,000.00
15. Less amount unpaid	.....	\$4,900.00
16. All other stock including premium on same	.....	None
17. Banking house, \$22,000; furniture and fixtures, \$6,837.50	.....	28,837.50
18. Other real estate owned	.....	14,222.23
19. Due from Federal Reserve bank	.....	18,545.29
20. Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	.....	\$91,531.26
21. Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	.....	\$165,502.92
22. Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 13)	.....	2,691.67
23. Outside checks and other cash items, \$111,192; fractional currency, nickels and cents, \$979.85	.....	112,171.85
24. Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	.....	None
25. Exchange for clearing house	.....	5,891.99
26. Notes of other national banks	.....	8,355.00
27. Federal Reserve notes	.....	None
28. Lawful money reserve in bank	.....	\$ 34,229.15
29. Special tender notes	.....	45,851.15
30. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	.....	7,987.10
31. Due from U. S. Treasurer	.....	None
Total	.....	\$1,289,442.19
LIABILITIES.		
1. Capital stock paid in	.....	\$ 100,000.00
2. Surplus fund	.....	20,000.00
3. Undivided profits	.....	\$1,388.16
4. Reserved for taxes	.....	\$ 1,730.19
5. Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	.....	\$21,226.73
6. Circulating notes	.....	\$147,256.60
7. Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	.....	1,500.00
8. Due to Federal Reserve bank	.....	None
9. Due to approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	.....	None
10. Due to approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	.....	None
11. Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 2 or 13)	.....	320,326.93
12. Dividends unpaid	.....	None
13. Demand deposits:	.....
Individual deposits subject to check	.....	\$104,000.21
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	.....	\$2,751.61
Certified checks	.....	1,424.15
Cashier's checks outstanding	.....	2,744.62
United States deposits subject to check	.....	75,000.00
Postal savings deposits	.....	\$ 34,326.24
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources"	.....	61,000.00
Deposits requiring notice of less than 30 days	.....	None
Time deposits:	.....
Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	.....	None
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 8 of "Resources"	.....	None
Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	.....	None
U. S. bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral	.....	None
U. S. bonds borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	.....	None
Other bonds borrowed without furnishing collateral	.....	None
Other bonds borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	.....	None
Securities (other than U. S. or other bonds) borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same	.....	None
Securities (other than U. S. or other bonds) borrowed for which collateral security was furnished	.....	None
Reductions with Federal Reserve bank	.....	None
Notes and bills rediscounted	.....	None
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed (liabilities other than those above stated (Letters of credit)	.....	25,000.00
State bank circulation outstanding	.....	400.00
Total	.....	\$1,289,442.19

State of Oklahoma, County of Logan, ss:
I, George Tipton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1915.
MILBRED HAWES, Notary Public.

My Commission expires Jan. 17, 1917.

Correct—Attest:

N. HOLMAN,
J. C. WHITEFIELD,
J. J. PHILLIPS,
P. A. NORRIS,
Directors.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF RESOURCES.		
Loans & Discounts	.....	\$ 592,018.73
Securities	.....	182.25
Overdrafts	.....	None
U. S. Bonds for circulation (par value)	.....	115,000.00
Real Estate, furniture and fixtures	.....	28,837.50
Stock in Federal Reserve bank	.....	2,691.67
Cash	.....	70,745.62
U. S. Bonds	.....	\$ 62,029.11
Sight Exchange	.....	110,000.00
	.....	321,978.75
Total	.....	\$1,289,442.19
LIABILITIES.		
Capital Stock	.....	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	.....	20,000.00
Undivided profits	.....	\$1,388.16
Reserve for taxes	.....	\$ 1,730.19
Reserve for clearing	145,750.00
Bills Payable	1,288.57
Deposits	25,000.00
	885,102.22
Total	\$1,289,442.19

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